OTHER BOOKS ALSO SET FORTH ANNO 1595

* CHURCHYARD'S CHA.RITY ' A.ND ' *A* PRAISE OF POETRY *

A musical consort of heavenly harmony called *Churchyard's Chanty,* by Mr Thomas Churchyard, which he dedicateth to the Earl of Essex, noting that now, by reason of great age, his wits and inventions are almost wearied with writing of books, this being one of the last In this poem, he lamenteth that great lack of chanty in our days Machievel, saith he, is now made an Englishman

> Fine Machievel, is now from Florence flown
> To England where, his welcome is too great,
> His busy books, are here so read and known
> That chanty, thereby hath lost her meat
> Who doth for debt, in dangei long remain
> Must fall down flat, and seldom rise again

Also, he hath written *A Praise of Poetry,* some notes whereof are drawn out of the *Apology* made by Sir Philip Sidney that was published this last spring

HUNNIS* 'RECREATIONS'

A book of godly verses entitled *Hunms* Recreations,* written by Mr William Hunms, the Master of the Children of the Queen's Chapel, being Adam's Banishment, Chnst his Crib, The Lost Sheep, The Complaint of Old Age, published to-gether with The Life and Death of Joseph Noteth in the Complaint of Old Age that he will speak the best of the dead

> The common custom is,
> to flatter them that live ,
> And of the dead reproachful words
> and ill reports to give

But sure the fault is great,
to speak ill of the dead,
Who harm them not, but quietly
do rest within their bed